

- (b) the circumstances of the family are such as to require it; and
- (c) the Admiralty is satisfied that the type of education which the child is receiving, or is to receive, is suitable for the child.

The amount of any allowance under this Clause shall be determined by the Admiralty but the total payments made in respect of any period of twelve months shall not exceed £120 in respect of any one child.

“ 5. Allowances for Constant Attendance

Where a member of the Naval or Marine forces is in receipt of retired pay or a pension under Clause 1 in respect of disablement the degree of which is not less than 80 per cent. and it is shown to the satisfaction of the Admiralty that constant attendance on the member is necessary on account of the disablement, he may be awarded an allowance at a rate not exceeding £104 a year in the case of an officer or 40s. a week in any other case.

Provided that in an exceptional case of very severe disablement the allowance may, subject to such conditions as the Admiralty may determine, be increased to a rate not exceeding £208 a year in the case of an officer or 80s. a week in any other case.

“ 6. Severe Disablement Occupational Allowance

Where a member of the Naval or Marine forces is in receipt of an allowance for constant attendance at a rate increased under the proviso to Clause 5, or would be in receipt of such an allowance if he were not in a hospital or other institution, he may for any period during which he is, in the opinion of Admiralty, ordinarily employed in a gainful occupation, be awarded an allowance at the rate of £52 a year in the case of an officer, or 20s. a week in any other case.

Provided that no allowance shall be payable under this Clause to a member for any period in respect of which he is:

- (a) eligible for an award under Clause 8 (a)
- (b) in receipt of any such benefit as is mentioned in Clause 12 (G) or a treatment allowance increased under (D) of that Clause.

“ 7. Allowances for Wear and Tear of Clothing.

(A) Where a member of the Naval or Marine forces who is in receipt of retired pay or a pension under Clause 1 in respect of an amputation regularly wears an artificial limb, he may be awarded an allowance in respect of wear and tear of clothing at whichever of the following rates is applicable:

- (a) where he wears a single artificial limb (other than a tilting table limb), £7 10s. a year; or
- (b) where he wears a tilting table limb or more than one artificial limb, £12 10s. a year.

(B) In any other case in which the Admiralty is satisfied that as a result of the pensioned disablement there is exceptional wear and tear of the member's clothing, an allowance not exceeding £12 10s. a year may be awarded.

“ 8. Allowances for Unemployable Pensioners

Where a member of the Naval or Marine forces is in receipt of retired pay or a pension under Clause 1 in respect of disablement so serious as to make him unemployable, he may be awarded allowances in accordance with such of the provisions of this Clause as may be appropriate in his case.

Provided that

- (i) due account is taken of any Sickness or Unemployment Benefit or Retirement Pension for which the member may be eligible under the National Insurance Acts;
- (ii) any earnings of less than £104 a year may be disregarded.

(a) an allowance by way of supplement to his retired pay or pension at the rate of £164 a year in the case of an officer or 63s. a week in any other case;

(b) an increase, where necessary, in the rate of family allowance in respect of wife and children awarded under Clause 3 which would be appropriate under that Clause if the degree of disablement were 100 per cent.;

(c) where an allowance has been awarded under Clause 3 in respect of a wife and the degree of the disablement of the member is 100 per cent., or where an allowance for such a person has been increased or awarded under sub-paragraph (b), of this Clause, the rate of the allowance may be increased or further increased by £55 a year in the case of an officer or 25s. a week in any other case, if the Admiralty thinks fit having regard to the financial circumstances of the person in respect of whom the allowance has been granted;

(d) where the member is not in receipt of an allowance under Clause 3 in respect of a wife an allowance may be awarded in respect of an adult dependant at the rate of £91 a year in the case of an officer or 35s. a week in any other case, if the Admiralty thinks fit having regard to the financial circumstances of the person in respect of whom the allowance is claimed, provided that the member of the naval

forces shall not be awarded an allowance in respect of more than one adult dependant;

(e) an allowance may be awarded in respect of any child, not being an eligible member of the family, who should, in the opinion of the Admiralty, be treated as such having regard to the child's relationship to, or connection with, the pensioner and other circumstances of the case. Provided that any such allowance shall be at the rate and subject to the conditions which would be appropriate under Clause 3 if the child were an eligible member of the family and the degree of the disablement of the member were 100 per cent.;

(f) where an allowance has been awarded under Clause 3 or under sub clause (b) or sub clause (e) of this Clause in respect of the child or children of an officer, the rate thereof in respect of that child or the elder or eldest of those children may be increased to £45 10s. a year and where an allowance has been so awarded in respect of the child or children of a member not being an officer the rate thereof in respect of that child or the elder or eldest of those children may be increased to 17s. 6d. a week and in respect of each other of those children to 9s. 6d. a week.

“ 9. Allowances for Comforts

(A) A member of the Naval or Marine forces who is in receipt of retired pay or pension under Clause 1 may be awarded an allowance for the provision of comforts:

(a) At the rate of £52 a year in the case of an officer or 20s. a week in any other case where the member is in receipt of an allowance under Clause 5 and is

- (i) in receipt of an allowance under Clause 8; or
- (ii) in receipt of retired pay or pension in respect of disablement the degree of which is 100 per cent. and which has been awarded in respect of multiple injuries which, in the opinion of the Admiralty, render his disablement so severe as to justify the award of an allowance at the aforementioned rate;

(b) at the rate of £26 a year in the case of an officer or 10s. a week in any other case if he does not qualify for an award under sub-paragraph (a) of this Clause but is in receipt of an allowance under Clause 5 or under Clause 8.

(B) For the purposes of this Clause, a member who would be in receipt of an allowance under Clause 5 if he were not in a hospital or other institution shall be deemed to be in receipt of an allowance under that Clause.

“ 10. Allowances for Lowered Standard of Occupation

A member of the Naval or Marine forces who is in receipt of retired pay or pension under Clause 1 the degree of which is less than 100 per cent. who has been compelled after 1st July 1945, by reason of his disability, to adopt an occupation not equivalent to that regularly followed by him for a reasonable period before that date may be granted at Admiralty discretion a special allowance at a rate not exceeding 39s. a week, so however that the aggregate rate of his retired pay or pension under Clause 1 together with the allowance under this Clause shall not exceed the rate of award which would have been appropriate in his case under Clause 1 if the degree of his disablement had been 100 per cent.

“ 11. Age Allowances

Where a member of the Naval or Marine forces who is in receipt of retired pay or a pension under Clause 1, in respect of disablement the degree of which is 40 per cent. or over, has attained the age of 65 years he may be awarded an allowance in accordance with the following Table:

TABLE			
Degree of Pensioned Disablement		Rate of Allowance	
		Officers (Yearly Rate)	Ratings (Weekly Rate)
		£ s.	s. d.
40 or 50 per cent	...	13 0	5 0
60 or 70 per cent	...	19 10	7 6
80 or 90 per cent	...	26 0	10 0
100 per cent	...	39 0	15 0

“ PART II. TREATMENT

“ 12. Treatment Allowances

(A) A member of the Naval or Marine forces may be awarded in respect of any period during which he receives approved treatment, a treatment allowance consisting of a personal allowance in respect of himself and any additional allowance which may be appropriate in his case in accordance with the following provisions of this Clause: